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For: A COVERED ROLL HAVING AN UNDER-LAYER FORMED OF RESIN
INFUSED DENSELY PACKED FIBERS THAT PROVIDES INCREASED
STRENGTH AND ADHESION PROPERTIES

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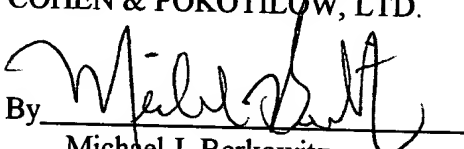
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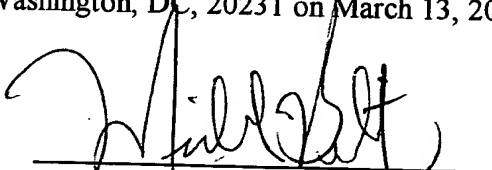
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